

Now It's Free Siamese
LONDON (CP) Siamese who rejected repatriation offers when the Japanese of London were started back to Tokyo now have been recognized by the Foreign Office as "the nucleus of a Free Thai movement." There are 500 of them and all offered their services in any capacity.

Ottawa Advised on Proposals to Avert Spring Flood

Barbers To Be Stopped Throwing Water on Main Street; Endeavor to Get 1943 Assessor

Regular meeting of the council was held on Monday, Dec. 28. Present Mayor Antrobus, Councilors Ford, Dutil, Ramsey and Jenkins.

At a previous meeting council had decided to ask J. S. D'Appolonia to become town assessor for 1943. A letter was received in reply expressing regret that he was unable to accept the council's offer.

Mr. C. W. May will be requested to become assessor for 1943, subject to approval of the Dept. of Municipal Affairs.

Constable Arkle was authorized to investigate the complaint of local barbers throwing dirty water on main street, and also to check on the drainage pipe at Zak's corner.

A letter will be sent Dept. of Mines and Resources, Ottawa, advising that department of proposed plans to avert future floods in Coleman. The assistance of this department is asked in aiding council to put these plans into effect. A similar letter will be sent W. A. Fallow, provincial minister of Public Works.

Legion Club Now Operates Victory Wheel

Legion Officers Endeavor to Promote Greater Sale of War Stamps and Certificates.

On Monday President George Derbyshire brought into the Legion club a "Victory Wheel". Purpose of the wheel is to stimulate the sale of war stamps and certificates in Coleman by selling tickets on the wheel at 10 cents each.

There are 41 numbers on the wheel. Forty of the numbers are sold, making a total of \$4.00. Should the wheel stop at the unsold number it is given a second spin. The winner receives this stamps immediately from the Legion secretary. The honor of being the first winner on Monday evening was Mrs. George Derbyshire who held No. 7.

The club officials desire to make clear to the public that their sole purpose in sponsoring this wheel is to promote the sale of war stamps. Since only 40 tickets are sold at 10¢ each only \$4.00 can be derived from the wheel at one spin and the winner is given \$4 of stamps, which leaves no "rake-off" whatsoever.

Persons desiring to try their luck on the wheel can give their time to any Legion member or secretary Alex. Easton. All winners will be published in The Journal.

Ryan in Boston Herald: Lots of patriots, we feel sure, would gladly make the sacrifice, if they could only get hold of the kind of salary that could be trimmed to \$25,000.

Dog Licenses! Take Notice!

OWNERS OF DOGS should purchase licenses for 1943 forthwith. Tags are now available at the Police Office, Coleman.

The fee for dogs is as follows:

Dogs	\$2.00	Female	\$4.00
Police Dogs	\$5.00	Female	\$10.00

Dogs not wearing tags after March 31st, 1943, will be impounded and if not claimed, will be destroyed without further notice.

Coleman Town Council

WM. ANTLE, Chief Constable.

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VETERAN GUARDS AID CIGARETTE FUND COMMITTEE

On Saturday three Veteran Guards in uniform stood alongside the Cigarette Fund Soldier supervising the collection of donations to the local Cigarette Fund. \$63.07 was collected. The Overseas Welfare committee give special thanks to the three men, Ptes. H. Turner, J. Goulding and W. Martland, for donating their time to this worthy cause.

Mrs. E. Snowdon Passed Away On Tuesday

Had Been Ill for a Few Days; Funeral to be Held on Friday From Funeral Parlours.

Friends heard with surprise and regret on Tuesday of the sudden passing of Mrs. Eva Snowdon, 59, at her home on Second street. Deceased had been ill for a few days and few knew that she had been seriously ill. Her husband, Pte. Herb. Snowdon, was sent for and arrived here before she passed away.

Deceased was born at Saltburn-by-the-Sea, Yorkshire, England, and grew into womanhood at the town. In 1912 she came to Canada, residing at Coleman. The following year she was married at Blaimore to Mr. Snowdon and they have resided in Coleman since then. For many years she operated a store known as Snowdon's store on main street. She was at one time a member of the local lodge of the Pythian Sisters.

Surviving are the husband, one daughter, Mrs. Leonard Lewis, two sons, Kenneth and Douglas, and three grandchildren.

The funeral will be held on Friday at 2 p.m. from the local funeral parlours. Interment will be in Coleman Union cemetery.

Mrs. J. S. Rogers Honored on 78th Birthday

A number of friends pleasantly surprised Mrs. J. S. Rogers at her home on Monday, Dec. 14, on the occasion of her 78th birthday. She was presented with a beautiful bouquet of carnations and roses to mark the happy event. Tea was served.

The esteemed lady was further honored later in the day by a bouquet of flowers from the Rebekah lodge of which she is a member.

Mrs. Rogers resides with her husband on Sixth street and has one daughter, Mrs. Wm. Hoggan, and two sons, Chris and Jack residing here. Another son Billy resides on Arrow Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers first came to Canada in 1913, residing at Coleman for many years and then moving to Arrow Lakes, where they resided for a number of years. A little more than a year ago they came back to Coleman and took up residence in their own home on Sixth street.

"Hitler's Present" for Express Delivery by Red Navy Bomber



U.S.S.R. Official Photograph (distributed by Ministry of Information) Picture shows: Sergeant Korneko, the best armourer in a Soviet naval air unit, loading a bomb inscribed "A present for Hitler" into a Russian bomber.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson Celebrated 25th Wedding Anniversary

Surprise by Family Evening of Dec. 20; Received Handsome Bedroom Suite As an Anniversary Present.

Sitting quietly in their home on Fifth street on the evening of December 20, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson were pleasantly surprised when all members of their family came marching into the house and shouting "happy anniversary." The occasion was the 25th wedding anniversary of the honored couple.

All members of the family were present. Myrtle, Mrs. Elmer Jennings, and husband, came down from Nelson for the event. The other members reside in Coleman and include Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. John Nelson, and Leslie.

To make the event something that would live in their parents' minds for years to come the family presented them with a handsome bedroom suite in addition to a number of individual gifts. A gay social evening was held at which all enjoyed themselves.

Mr. Tom Gushul, of Gushul Brothers, Blaimore, was present and took a group picture which included even the grandchildren. This picture will be one of the most prized possessions of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson.

The honored couple were married in 1917. Mrs. Nelson being the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hopkins.

Their many friends join with the family in wishing them many years of health and happiness.

Cadets Presented With Trumpets By Local Organizations

Presentation Made At Palace Theatre Christmas Night; Beautiful Instruments.

At the Palace theatre on Christmas evening Coleman Cadets were presented with three handsome trumpets by three local organizations. The three donors were Coleman Lions club, Coleman Elks, and Wm. Cole, proprietor of the Palace theatre.

The movie program was halted and the hall illuminated. The cadets marched smartly down the aisles to the front of the theatre where they stood at attention. Mr. Cole presented his trumpet to the cadet officer and on behalf of the Elks presented the Elks' trumpet.

Lion Ray Spillers made the presentation of the Lions trumpet, on behalf of the Lions club. In addition to the trumpets the local cadets have two side drums. It is quite probable that they may still receive additional trumpets as some organizations solicited have not yet made reply.

The cadet trumpet band will be conducted by town bandmaster James Lowe. Approximately six of the cadets are also members of the town band.

Believe cadets are also forming a trumpet band and several instruments have been donated to them. They have in addition a large drum. It is the intention of the cadet officers to combine the two bands on various occasions and have them play publicly for the enjoyment of the citizens. The instruments presented at the theatre Christmas evening are most handsome, and recently arrived from London, England.

TURKEY WINNERS AT LEGION CLUB

Eleven turkeys were given as prizes in the crib and dart Christmas tournaments sponsored by the Canadian Legion. Dart winners were W. Chapman, A. Harvey, R. Lloyd, A. Easton, Buck Eyseckers, Tony Deozzi and H. Davies. Crib winners were W. Lonsbury, Ed. Leduc and Bert Garrett. One crib tournament is still incomplete.

Liberty is not a license to take liberties.

FREDA ANTROBUS HEARD ON RADIO ON SUNDAY

A number of local radio listeners heard with interest the voice of Miss Freda Antrobus on the radio at 2:30 on Sunday last. The program, known as the "Church of the Air" was featured by the Wilma Road choir under the direction of Conductor George Couttes. Freda was heard in a quartet of the song calling for her to sing a brief solo piece.

Following the program Freda's parents received a telephone call from Mrs. Richard Upton of Calgary, Freda's former teacher, who had also heard the program.

Mrs. W. Antrobus Jr. Died at Fort Erie on Monday

Had Been Married to Local Man Only Six Months; No Details Regarding Death.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Antrobus were gravely shocked on Monday when they received a wire from their son William informing them of the death of his bride of six months at Fort Erie, Ont. The death occurred on Monday at 3 p.m. No details were carried in the wire other than the fact that a letter was following.

Deceased was a Drumheller girl and her father and sister still reside there. She attended Calgary Normal school while "Bill" was a student at Calgary Technical school.

Following his technical training he went east where he secured employment in an airplane factory. In July last he sent for her and they were married at Fort Erie where they have since resided. They had planned to come to Coleman on a visit in the near future as neither Mr. or Mrs. Antrobus sr. had met their new daughter-in-law.

The sympathy of all his old school friends is extended to Bill in his bereavement.

Coleman Man Rescued Injured Flier

Flier, Had Fallen From Train New Year's Eve; Had Suffered Serious Injury

A Coleman man, Ray Shaver, is credited with finding and saving an injured flier at Champion on New Year's Eve from spending a winter's night in a ditch where the flier had crawled, unable to make further progress and apparently lost.

The flier is presumed to have fallen off the rear coach of a moving C.P.R. train sustaining a fractured leg, bruises and later severe frost bites as he crawled over the snow covered ground seeking help.

About 2 a.m. he fell into a ditch and was shortly after that his calls for help caused Mr. Shaver to investigate and make the rescue. The injured man was attended by doctors who had him moved to Galt hospital, Lethbridge.

Mr. Shaver only recently came to Coleman and is said to reside at the Coleman hotel.

Baby Artist's Model

LONDON (CP)—Child labor has some compensations. For 13-months-old Pamela Mole, it is two shillings (about 50 cents) an hour. Her profession's an artist's model. Pamela weighs 27 pounds, has 10 teeth and is the youngest wage-earner in the country, but she gets a full-scale union rate for her work. The money is spent for her by her parents on war savings.

Paid Tank Damage
LEEDS, England (CP)—A Y.M.C.A. tea car apparently got the better of this argument. A few days after the tea car collided with the army authorities received a cheque for the equivalent of \$7 for damage done to the tank.

Geo. Derbyshire Re-Elected Legion President

A. Easton Remains as Secretary; Practically Same Slate of Officers Re-Elected.

Election of officers for 1943 has been held at the local branch of the Canadian Legion, Geo. Derbyshire, who late in 1942 was elected as president when that position was made vacant by President J. Goulding enlisting in the Veterans' Guard, was re-elected to office.

The officers are as follows: Honorary-president, A. F. Short; honorary vice-president, J. O. C. McDonald, J. J. McIntyre and R. R. Pattinson; president, Geo. Derbyshire; vice-president, H. Houghton; secretary, A. Easton; executive, J. Nikituk, R. Parry, R. Ferguson, B. Garrett, W. Smith, W. Jackson, J. Lowe, R. Steurbaut and M. Joyce. H. Houghton was re-elected as secretary of the Overseas Welfare Fund.

Local Red Cross Thanked For Ditty Bag

Some months ago the local branch of the Canadian Red Cross voted some money with which to fill a fairly large number of ditty bags for sailors.

This week a letter was received by secretary J. M. Park from a sailor named James James thanking the local branch for their ditty bag. It reads:

Dear Friend: Just a few lines to let you know that I received your bag that you sent me. I enjoyed everything that was in it. The sewing kit was very nice and I was glad to receive it. The boys on the ship were tickled pink so I thought I would send you a few lines to let you know that I received it all right and that I liked it very much.—James James.

YOUTHS GUILTY OF DAMAGING THEATRE CHAIRS

For several months past the staff of the Palace theatre have been forced to give regular attention to the theatre chairs which are being badly damaged by youths.

These youths are using pen-knives to rip the leather covering and then punching holes in the chairs' padding. There is no necessity for this vandalism for in addition to giving the staff extra work it is becoming increasingly difficult to secure proper covering for the damaged chairs.

The guilty persons are asked to use a little common sense and stop this bad practice.

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TOWN COUNCIL.

The Air Training Plan

THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH Air Training Plan has entered upon its third year of operation. In December 1939 representatives of Britain, Australia, New Zealand and Canada met in Ottawa and final details of the Plan were arranged. In April of that same year, the first class commenced initial training at Toronto. Preliminary plans for such a training scheme had been discussed before the outbreak of the war, and much thought had been given to the matter by all the nations involved. However, we are told that even the most optimistic hopes of those who made the early arrangements have been surpassed by the success with which the Plan has progressed. Its magnitude is understood by most Canadians, for training is carried on in every province of the Dominion. The Prairies, with their excellent facilities for landing and fine atmospheric conditions have proved ideal for training purposes and in a great many Western communities there is now nothing unfamiliar in the constant hum of 'planes in the sky, and in the presence of airmen from all parts of Canada and from abroad.

Rapid Growth Of R.C.A.F.

While the Air Training Plan is a joint enterprise, and the greatest thing of its kind yet undertaken in this war, it is essentially Canadian, and is administered by the R.C.A.F. More than eighty per cent. of the men trained are Canadians, and Canada bears two-thirds of the cost of the maintenance of the Plan. In 1939 the R.C.A.F. had only 283 officers and 3,400 men. In the past three years these numbers have increased rapidly and there are now 125,000 officers and men in the Force. Of these, 83,000 are engaged in instructional, administrative and maintenance work. There are 150 establishments connected with the Plan, of which 93 are training schools. Over two thousand buildings are in use for it, and there are stations in every province. The development of the scheme has made Canada a first class air power in the world today and has earned for her the title of "an airpower of Democracy." The scheme represents an effort of great magnitude, and gratitude and credit are due to those who have planned and developed it, for it has undoubtedly been an important factor in the successful defense of the Allied nations. Its great importance in the offensive now commencing is clear, and the success with which the Plan is functioning is one of the things on which we may base confidence and hope for victory.

Air Strength Is Important

Britain, Australia and New Zealand are sending the finest of their young men to be trained in the Commonwealth Air Training schools. Joined with the young men of our own country they are going overseas in steadily growing numbers, and are taking part in the air war in many sections of the world. Many are patrolling our own coasts. As we see Allied air power spreading over increasingly large areas, we have ample proof of the excellent results of the Commonwealth Air Training Plan. Already many of these airmen have given their lives, but there are others coming to take their place, and to make sure that the cause for which they died will not be lost. Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Longmore, who was Air Officer Commander-in-Chief in the Middle East in 1940 and 1941 has been visiting in Canada, and has told of some of the difficulties faced by the R.A.F. in the early years of the war. At that time he said, it was not unusual for the enemy to outnumber us four to one, and sometimes the odds were six to one. The importance of air strength has been demonstrated many times in this war, and it is clear that strong air support is necessary for all military and naval operations. The Commonwealth Air Training Plan is providing the men for this, and we in Canada are fortunate to be able to play such an important part in its furtherance.

Just Civil War Debt

Loan To Finland Was Used To Fight The Government

The Government of Finland is reported to have made its usual offer of payment of debt instalment to the United States and that the Washington Administration has declined to accept it.

Much has been made of the so-called payment of "war debts" by the Finnish Government to the United States, and for a number of years prior to the outbreak of the present war, comparisons were made by the isolationist pacifist, anti-British group in the United States to show what an honest race the Finns were, and that the British were "welfare".

Finland, however, never had a war debt at all. One very good reason is that Finland did not exist as a separate government during the last war, being a province of Russia. After the Bolshevik revolution a Finnish government was established with the help of the Russian Bolsheviks. This government was smashed by the General Mannerheim who is now fighting with Germany against the Russians. He it was who obtained money from the United States to finance his campaign to smash the people's government and against the Russians from 1919 to 1921.

So far as it might be called a "war debt" it was not a war for democracy, but a civil war against the democracy of Finland, and are today, involved in the war against the people who gave them their freedom, and who would gladly get out of it if their masters would let them. They are in much the same boat as the Spanish people will be if General Franco were to openly participate in the war on the side of Germany—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

POPULATION OF INDIA

India's total area" of 1,576,000 square miles, with a population of 388,800,000. One out of every five persons in the world is an Indian; 92,973,000 Indians — nearly one in every four of the total population are not British subjects but live in the Indian states which cover nearly two-fifths of the area of India and are not British territory; 295,827,000 Indians live in the 11 provinces of British India and are British subjects.

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Safest Driver



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National Food Tasters

Lord and Lady Woolton Pass Judgment On Wartime Dishes

Food Minister Lord Woolton and Lady Woolton quietly fulfill the office of national food tasters at their own table.

Lord Woolton made this known when, smiling the laughter lines in his chubby face into prominence, he disclosed he tried out Britain's new national loaf on his wife.

Lady Woolton, it should be said, would not for a minute claim the position of Food Taster No. 1, of course. She has never claimed to be a gastronome, has no particular fancies about food, and is not finicky about what she eats. She is a good average eater of palatable food.

That, perhaps is why Lord Woolton, who does not enjoy such a good appetite as his wife, occasionally tries out a new turn of wartime food at his own table. Prior to the bread experiment he tried dried vegetables out on Lady Woolton.

Lady Woolton becomes inordinately curious whenever she gets into a kitchen—a good thing for a food minister's wife. Not long ago she went to a showroom where the equipment was something to be seen. But Lady Woolton became absorbed in the operations of a cook who was making a dish of stuffed liver and stale bread and later, in the same cook's ingenuity in making sultanas take the place of sugar in apple pudding.

It Happens Sometimes

Five School Chums Meet As Marines In Pacific War

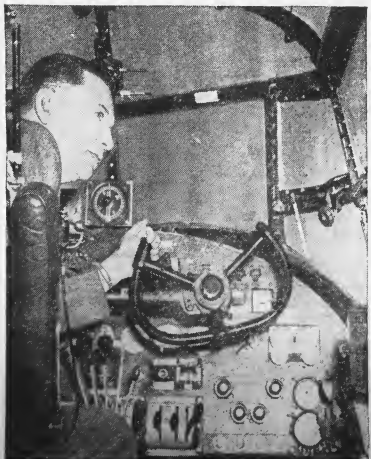
This is the saga of five buddies from Allentown, Pa., who went to war as marines last December 8.

They started to elementary school together, played together and graduated from high school together in 1939.

When the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor the five lads became leathernecks. They trained together at Parris Island and later at New River, N.C.

Two of them went overseas and landed on Guadalcanal in July. Then, in November, they were standing on a sandy beachhead on the island watching a troop transport unload reinforcements. Up the beach, side by side, trudged the other three.

Long Distance Flyer



Clyde Pangborn, famed long-distance flyer, is pictured at the controls of a big Lancaster bomber. Pangborn is now a captain in R.A.F. ferry command. The huge Avro-Lancaster has a wingspread of 102 feet, an overall length of 69 feet, gross weight of 60,000 pounds and height of 20 feet.



(By Capt. B. M. Pearce)

Seven sons in uniform and on active service is the proud record of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vautour of Ste. Anne de Kent, N.B. Three of their boys, William, Leo and Donat enlisted just two days after the declaration of war. Within one year, Gerard, Wilfred and Elol also enlisted together. The first three are now serving overseas; the other three are on duty in Canada. The seventh son, Eusebe, was recently accepted as a recruit after several previous attempts on his part had failed due to lack of education. The Canadian Legion War Services helped out with educational facilities and Pte. Eusebe Vautour is now taking his basic training at Fredericton, N.B. It was a happy day for this patriotic French Acadian family when he was accepted because they felt that the family had not contributed their all to the war effort until Eusebe too wore the King's uniform, along with his six brothers, two brothers-in-law and 14 cousins.

For each nursing sister on duty two V.A.D.'s will be appointed to service in hospitals of the home war establishment, the total not to exceed 25 per cent. of the nursing strength. V.A.D.'s, as members of Voluntary Aid Detachments are called, now boast a strength of several thousands. They are sponsored by both the Canadian Red Cross and the St. John's Ambulance Corps. Although not classified as full-fledged nurses, they must take courses in home nursing and first aid to qualify for service with the R.C.A.M.C. Since the outbreak of war many of them have served with distinction, not only as nursing aides but as ambulance drivers and attendants in Blood Donor Clinics across the country. They are recognized as invaluable in relieving the acute shortage of nurses throughout the country.

The Great War custom of awarding chevrons for long service in the Canadian Army will be readopted in this war. One silver chevron will be worn by officers and other ranks who enlisted during the first year of war, with a black one for each year of later service. The chevrons will be worn with the point uppermost on the left forearm of the uniform. They will be supplied free by the Army to active and home defence soldiers alike. They will not be worn overseas.

John N. Kennedy, 14-year-old New York city schoolboy who tried to enlist in the Canadian Army and the Royal Canadian Air Force, is back at his home, disappointed at being rejected because of his youth, but he has a letter of appreciation sent to him by the Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence. The boy hitch-hiked from New York, where his father Mr. Martin Kennedy is U.S. Congressman from the 18th Congressional District, to Montreal where he applied for enlistment. First he tried to join the famed Black Watch Regiment and later the R.C.A.F. He was turned down in both attempts because of his obvious youth. When the Defence Minister learned of the incident he wrote a commendatory letter to the lad.

A new training centre for the Canadian Provost Corps has been established at Camp Borden, with facilities for training 35 officers and up to 500 other ranks. At the new Centre, Provost personnel will learn how to be examples to their fellow soldiers, guide and assist them. Members of the Provost Corps are no longer just "military policemen." They are fully-trained infantrymen, ready at a moment's notice to pick up rifle and bayonet and stand up against any odds in the field.

Gasoline Substitute

Hair Tonic Is Just One Being Used In Europe

Hair tonic is just one of the many gasoline substitutes being used in Europe today, a London survey reveals. Utilization of the scalp vigorizer to propel an auto is attributed to a Frenchman. A Swedish baker collected alcohol for motor use from the fumes of his bakery. Grapes also have been used to provide alcohol for autos, while city or compressed gas and gasoline, or fumes from burners soaked with briquettes are being used in South Africa.

AID TO RUSSIA FUND



The guns rumble 24 hours a day along the Russian front. They are pounding the lines at Stalingrad, they tear and burn the flesh of Russia's fighting men and women constantly along 2,000 miles of Soviet territory. That front, if transferred to this continent would extend almost from the Atlantic to the Pacific and cut deep into the most populous provinces of Canada.

The Russian front is, in terms of fighting conditions, the most difficult and largest of the Allied fronts. It is estimated that about 15,000,000 men are engaged on it, and the fighting in Russia's winter conditions is cruelly hard.

Millions have been wounded on this front, and in the rear, where guerrilla fighters are carrying on the battle, more millions are being shattered every day and night.

Soviet doctors are working tirelessly to repair the damage wrought by Nazi guns. A Russian front-line correspondent has reported that there are times in the height of battle when Soviet surgeons work at operating tables for three days on end. In these 72 hours a surgeon will treat 200 to 250 wounded men.

The Canadian Aid to Russia Fund is appealing for \$1,000,000 with which to dispatch some of the supplies that the Russian people need in such desperate measure.

This appeal is directed to all Canadians — workers in factories, physicians, surgeons and nurses in the laboratories and clinics, housewives, businessmen, everyone in Canada who appreciates the significance of the Russian front.

More destructive than rain to the finish of automobiles is dew.



Develop New Plane

Large Flying Boat Is Still On The Secret List

Robert Perkins, Conservative, disclosed in the British House of Commons that Britain has a new plane in production, the York.

During a discussion of the future of British civil aviation after the war Perkins said "if air control would release 20 Yorks and 10 Sunderlands we could look Pan-American Airways in the face."

The York is still on the secret list, but since Perkins coupled it with the Sunderlands it presumably is a large plane capable of transporting both passengers and freight.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

REDEEMING TIME

What is meant by redeeming time? It is to fill the hours full of the rightest freight, to fill them with the life of thought, feeling, action, as they pass.—Clarke.

Very few people are good economists of their fortune, and still fewer of their time.—Chesfield.

No man can be provident of his time who is not prudent in the choice of his company.—Jeremy Taylor.

If one would be successful in the future, let him make the most of the present.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Look upon each day as the whole of life, not merely a section; and enjoy and improve the present without wishing through haste to rush on to another.—Ruskin.

To worry about tomorrow is to fail of devotion to the tasks of today, and so to spoil both days.—William Dewitt Hyde.

JUST LIKE A FISH

A submarine, says the Christian Science Monitor, takes in water to dive, blows it out again to rise, just as a fish regulates the gas-content of its "swim bladder" for the same purpose.



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GENERAL GIRAUD IS ELECTED TO SUCCEED DARLAN AS THE FRENCH AFRICAN LEADER

Algiers.—Gen. Henri Honoré Giraud, famous French warrior who escaped from German prisons in two wars, was named unanimously by the French Imperial council to succeed Admiral Jean Darlan as high commissioner of French Africa and was granted full military and civil powers.

The selection by the council governing the vast African empire of the French was made a few hours after an impressive funeral was given his assassinated predecessor, a funeral in which Giraud himself paid his final tribute to Darlan.

Giraud, thus given full power as high commissioner and commander-in-chief of the French land, sea and air forces in French Africa, called for unity in an order of the day issued immediately after his selection was announced. The order follows:

"Assuming the functions of high commissioner of French Africa after the tragedy which cost Admiral Darlan's life, I ask all to stand united behind me to assure, with the support of our allies, the success of our armies.

"Only one thing counts: France and her empire; there is but one aim: victory."

A French spokesman said Giraud has yet to select his cabinet of advisers.

The French council acted speedily after the assassin of Darlan was executed Saturday and the former French chieftain was given the last tributes of ranking Allied military men.

The selection of Giraud put at the helm in French North and West Africa a hero of three during escapes in two wars—once from Germany in the First Great War, again from Germany in the present war, and finally his spectacular flight via submarine and plane from France to join Lt. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower a few hours before the Allied landings in North Africa Nov. 8.

There was no immediate announcement whether Giraud would continue in active command of the French army, which already is an important factor in the Allied campaign in Tunisia.

The announcement also failed to indicate whether active steps would be taken toward unification of all French colonies in Africa under a single leadership during the war, but this step is expected to be taken speedily if the divided French factions can get together.

SHORTAGE OF MEN

May Hinder The Increased Hog Production In Alberta

Edmonton.—H. E. Nichols, secretary of the Alberta Farmers' Union representing 16,000 farmers in the province, said in an interview that unless some provision is made for supply of skilled farm labor immediately, it will be "impossible" to increase hog production as requested by the prices board.

He said that union farmers had been circulating regarding increased production and of the thousands of cropland returned, only one farmer said he could increase hog production this year over what he produced last year.

Mr. Nichols warned that unless "agriculture is recognized as an essential war industry" and given the same consideration accorded other war industries, it is possible that food shortages will take place.

GLOOMY PROSPECT

Hitler's Representative In Norway Discusses Allied Victory

London.—Hitler's personal representative in Norway, Joseph Terboven, discussed the possibility of an Allied victory in a speech Dec. 8, Norwegian government circles here reported.

The speech was said to have been delivered to a dozen leading Norwegian manufacturers and then published officially 10 days later.

Terboven was quoted as having said: "In the event of an Allied victory nothing can save Norway from Russian political and economic expansion. Not even Sweden will be able to resist the Bolsheviks."

FAMOUS GENERAL

Led British Column That Severed The African Corps Of Rommel

Cairo.—British headquarters disclosed that the man described as "one of the most famous generals in the Middle East" who led the British column which severed Marshal Rommel's Africa Corps at the Wadi Matruh was Maj-Gen. Sir Bernard Freyberg, V.C., New Zealand's greatest soldier.

The brilliant movement was carried out by a New Zealand division of Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery's Eighth Army, and a force of all arms supporting them.

AIR TRAINING PLAN

Australian Says It Has Been Greater Success Than Anyone Expected

Sydney.—Sir Donald Cameron, chairman of the New South Wales air force recruiting organization, commenting on the third anniversary of the setting up of the Commonwealth air training plan, said it had been a greater success than anyone had dared to expect.

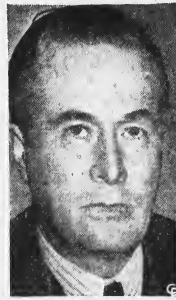
Australia had made such rapid progress, he said, that the present government had extended the original undertaking. Australia's airpower now is greater than the R.A.F. was before the war, he said. The number of R.A.A.F. men in Britain alone exceeds Australia's total air strength at the outbreak of war.

As the result of the Pacific war, he said, some replanning had been necessitated in the disposition of the Australian force to meet changed conditions.

The government, he said, intends to follow such a vigorous air-war policy that Australia's airmen will never be short of full requirements to carry out their share of the fight for freedom.

The oil refining capacity of the United States is 4,700,000 barrels daily.

Awarded Trophy



A. D. McLean, Ottawa, controller of civil aviation in the department of transport, who has been awarded the Trans-Canada Trophy for outstanding service to Canadian aviation in 1941. His services in superintending the selection and development of airport sites for the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan and for R.C.A.F. operational bases, were cited in the award for the trophy which was donated by the late Jas. D. McKee of Pittsburgh, Pa.

HIS MAJESTY THE KING DELIVERS CHRISTMAS MESSAGE TO THE BRITISH EMPIRE

London.—Following is the text of a Christmas message broadcast by the King to the British Empire:

It is at Christmas more than at any other time that we are conscious of the dark shadow of war. Our Christmas festival must lack many of the happy, familiar features that it has had from our earliest childhood. We miss the actual presence of some of those nearest and dearest without whom our family gatherings cannot be complete.

But, though its outward observances may be limited, the message of Christmas remains eternal and unchanged.

It is a message of thankfulness and of hope, of thankfulness to the Almighty for His great mercies, of hope for the return to this earth of peace and goodwill.

In this spirit, I wish all of you a happy Christmas. This year it adds to our happiness that we are sharing it with so many of our comrades in arms from the United States of America.

We welcome them in our homes and their sojourn here will not only be a happy memory for us but also, I hope, the basis of enduring understanding between our two peoples.

Recent victories won by the United Nations enable me, this Christmas, to speak with firm confidence about the future.

On the southern shores of the Mediterranean, the 1st and 8th armies, our fleets and air forces, are advancing toward each other, heartened and greatly fortified by the timely and massive expeditionary armies of the United States.

Tremendous blows have been struck by the armies of the Soviet Union, the effects of which cannot yet be measured on the minds and bodies of the German people.

In the Pacific, we watch with thrilled attention the counterstrokes of our Australian and American comrades.

India, who is still threatened by Japanese invasion, has found in her loyal fighting men more than a million strong champions to stand at the side of the British army in the defence of Indian soil.

We still have tasks ahead of us.

Perhaps harder even than those which we have already accomplished. We face these with confidence, for today we stand together, no longer

alone, no longer ill-armed, but just as resolute as in the darkest hours to do our duty, whatever comes.

Many of you to whom I am speaking are far away overseas. You realize at first hand the importance and meaning of those outposts of empire which the wisdom of our forefathers selected and which your faithfulness will defend.

For there was danger that we should lose such and this has opened our eyes to the value of what we might have lost.

You may be serving for the first time in Gibraltar, on Malta, in Cyprus, Ceylon or India.

Perhaps you are listening to me from Aden, or Syria, or Persia, or Madagascar or the West Indies. Or you may be in the land of your birth, in Canada, Australia, New Zealand or South Africa.

Wherever you are serving in our wide, free commonwealth of nations you will always feel "at home" though severed by long sea miles of distance. You are still in the family circles, whose ties, precious in peaceful times, have been knit even closer by danger.

The Queen and I feel most deeply for all of you who have lost or are parted from your dear ones and our hearts go out to you with sorrow and with comfort but also with pride.

We send a special message of remembrance to the wounded and sick in hospitals wherever they may be and to prisoners of war who are enduring their long exile with dignity and fortitude.

The suffering and hardship shared together have given us a new understanding of each others' problems.

The losses and sorrows during the 40 tremendous months behind us have taught us how to work together for victory and we must see to it that we keep together after the war to build a worthier future.

On our visits to war industries in every part of the country, the Queen and I have watched with admiration the steady growth of that vital war production, the fruits of which now are being used by every branch of our forces in all theatres of war.

We are thankful for the splendid addition to our food supplies made by those who work on the land and who have made it fertile and prolific as it never has before.

Those of you who are carrying out this variety of duties, so willingly undertaken in the service of your country, will I am sure, find new associations, new friendships, new memories long to be cherished in times of peace.

So let us brace and prepare ourselves for the days which lie ahead. Victory will bring us even greater world responsibilities and we must not be found unequal to a task in the discharge of which we shall draw on the storehouse of our experience and tradition.

Our European Allies, their sovereigns, heads and governments, whom we are glad to welcome here in their distress, count on our aid to help them return to their native lands and to rebuild the structure of a free and glorious Europe.

On sea, on land, in the air and in civil life at home, a pattern of effort and mutual service is being traced which may guide those who design the picture of our future society.

A former president of the United States of America used to tell of a boy who was carrying an even smaller child up a hill.

Asked whether the heavy burden was not too much for him, the boy answered, "It's not a burden. It's my brother."

(Abraham Lincoln was the president to whom the King referred).

So, let us welcome the future in a spirit of brotherhood and thus make a world in which, please God, all may dwell together in justice and in peace.

POULTRY SHIPMENTS

Seventy-five Carloads Shipped Out Of Alberta For Holiday Market

Edmonton.—Seventy-five carloads of dressed poultry, totalling 1,500,000 pounds were shipped out of Alberta for the Christmas markets, a survey showed. Shipping season of 10 days was brief supplies being lighter than anticipated.

Fully 90 per cent. of loadings consisted of turkeys. Remainder of the shipments was geese, ducks and some chickens.

Producers received \$375,000 for the poultry and bulk of it came from central Alberta.

Map Of Tunis-Bizerte Battlefield



It is reported that Allied reinforcements of men and heavy war material have reached the Tebourba area west of Tunis in preparation for an attack from the southwest. German glider-borne troops were pouring into the east coast area of Tunisia in expectation of an Allied drive to cut communication between Tunis-Bizerte and Libya. It's a Central Press Canadian map.

R.C.A.F. Flyers Bag A Submarine



A Royal Canadian Air Force Hudson bomber dropped a depth charge on a Nazi U-boat prowling in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Flying Officer R. C. Keetley, right, of Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, was returning from patrol and spotted the sub upon which he dropped depth charges. Canadian planes circling the area later reported a mile-long oil slick. Members of the crew are shown, left to right, Navigator Flying Officer P. G. (Pete) Hughes of Courtney, B.C., Flying Officer R. S. Keatley of Moose Jaw, and Flight Sergeant Dave Bow of South River, Ont., Wireless Operator-Air Gunner.

"Mounties" On Canadian Corvette "Dauphin"



He commands a corvette, the Dauphin, now, but both Lt.-Comm. R. A. C. MacNeil and the sub-lieutenant shown above with him are former members of the R.C.M.P.—hence the ship's emblem, a "Mountie" riding a battered U-boat. King Hakon of Norway recently decorated the two officers for gallantry in rescuing the crew of a Norwegian boat in mid-Atlantic.

FARMERS WILL BE ASKED TO REDUCE THEIR WHEAT ACREAGE FOR THE NEXT CROP SEASON

Ottawa.—Acreage reduction is no guarantee of smaller wheat crops, the Dominion bureau of statistics said in a report on the wheat situation, but crop conditions next year are not likely to be as favorable as this season and if acreage reduction is carried out next spring the 1943-44 crop year should see an improvement in the statistical position in North America.

The objective for Canadian agriculture in 1943, including wheat, were outlined at a Dominion-provincial conference earlier this month. The bureau said Canada's wheat acreage reduction program next year will be "quite drastic."

The bureau said Canadian farmers have been asked to reduce wheat acreage to its lowest level since 1918 and if this goal is reached it will mean a reduction of more than 11,000,000 acres or 39 per cent. from the peak level of 28,700,000 acres attained in 1940.

"The feasible reduction in the United States is much smaller because of existing legislation which places a minimum on wheat acreage, while in Argentina and Australia the indicated new harvest plus carry-over of old wheat appear certain to bring forth new acreage restriction measures before the next crop is planted in the spring," the bureau said.

"All efforts to curtail wheat crops through the medium of reduced acreage were frustrated in 1942 by the unpredictable weatherman. A brand of weather was served up in Canada and the United States which resulted in record yields per acre and the production of enormous crops.

"Less spectacular results were obtained in Argentina and Australia, but reduced acreage in both countries failed to bring about the desired results and in the case of Argentina the new crop appears to be 18,000,000 bushels larger than the crop harvested last year.

"Expressed in round figures, these four countries had a wheat acreage in 1942 some 12,000,000 acres less than in 1941 but from this they produced a combined wheat crop approximately 335,000,000 bushels greater than that of the previous year."

The bureau said that while experience this year has shown that "acreage reduction is no guarantee of smaller crops, it is the grower's only approach to such an objective."

"The final outcome remains one largely of weather conditions but the law of averages and past experience suggest that the high yield per acre obtained in 1942 is not likely to be repeated in 1943," it said. "On this assumption, the statistical position of wheat in North America will show improvement in 1943-44 if acreage reduction programs are carried out next spring."

"Trade reports from Argentina and Australia carry suggestions of acreage reduction in both countries next year but the official programs are not yet available."

"Importing countries, on the other hand, especially the United Kingdom, are striving to increase wheat acreage as part of a plan to secure greater self-sufficiency in foodstuffs and thereby conserve shipping space for the transport of more vital war materials which must be obtained from abroad."

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\$ 640	\$ 413.92	\$ 34.45
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\$ 720	\$ 465.66	\$ 38.75
\$ 760	\$ 491.53	\$ 40.90
\$ 800	\$ 517.40	\$ 43.05
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NOTES AND COMMENTS

Plenty in Comparison

Half a pound of butter a week may not seem much to some people, but if you lived on canned beef and biscuit for months, you would think it a real luxury and be thankful you had the wonderful half pound of butter. Anyone who has lived on a restricted diet or army rations such as are served, say, in the desert, or other places where it is difficult to move up supplies to troops, knows what a luxury a loaf of bread is, even without the butter. You have to experience these things, to become really hungry, to appreciate just plain bread and butter and cool, fresh water. Who are we to complain over gasoline shortage, rationing of butter, tea, sugar and coffee? We should be thankful that we are permitted to enjoy as much as the rationing boards will allow.

"After the Ball is Over"

Years ago it was a popular song. Every Christmas it is recalled to mind. We all enjoy parties, stay up late, eat and drink more than is customary, and in fact live in a different world for a brief space of time. Then comes the return to work in office or store or factory, while the soldiers, sailors, airmen and airwomen return to duty. There is that after-holiday feeling, which lingers on for quite awhile after the round of festivities. Who doesn't enjoy Christmas? It consists of so much joy and happiness, and much of the happiness comes, not in receiving, but in giving. Little children of course are joyful in receiving presents, in listening for Santa Claus, and even as people grow old, they too love to remember the Christmases of childhood, with its mysteries, which though dispelled as they grow into the adolescent stage, are still fondly remembered.

And as we return to take up a new year, there still lingers the memory of a merry Christmas, not only this year, but of many other years. It must be so with everyone, and even war cannot stop the ardor of people throughout the world in observing the birthday anniversary of the Saviour of Mankind. It is fitting that a national week of prayer should follow closely on the Christmas holidays, for we need reminding that life cannot consist of material things only; there must be a spiritual side to our lives in order that the world may become a better place in thought, word and deed.

"Private Bartek's Bible"

(Macloed Gazette)

On Sunday, during his sermon, Rev. Robert Axon referred to the miraculous rescue after 21 days in a rubber dinghy of Eddie Rickenbacker and his companions, who abandoned their airship in the South Pacific when they ran out of gas and had lost their bearings. From the Christian Science Monitor we clipped the following:

"The little boy in my boat (Pvt. John F. Bartek) had an issue Bible in the pocket of his jumper, and the second day out we organized little prayer meetings in the evening and morning and took turn about reading passages from the Bible, and frankly and humbly we prayed for our deliverance."

"Eddie" Rickenbacker spoke reverently when he came to this part of his dramatic story of how he and his companions were rescued after drifting twenty-one days in tiny rubber boats. It was within an hour after the eight men had turned their thoughts to God that a sea gull alighted on the head of the senior officer and leader of the expedition—Colonel Rickenbacker himself—and this furnished them food and bait that brought still more sustenance. What the ravens were to Elijah, the sea gull was to those American aviators on the Pacific.

What turned the thought of these eight men to the source of all good, to the preserver of man, his "refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble"? Private Bartek's little khaki Bible. True, they probably would have prayed even without a Bible. Most men do in such circumstances. But the little Book proved an immediate inspiration. Private Bartek's Bible was the most valuable piece of equipment they possessed. With it they proved the promise: "He shall call upon me, and I will answer him: I will be with him in trouble; I will deliver him, and honour him."

Rent Controversy in Clareholm

The Clareholm Local Press complains of the adjustments made by the Rent Control Board in that town. It claims that the adjustments made are in some instances unfair, and cites specific cases to prove its argument. So "het up" is the editor that he expresses himself as follows:

We make the general charge that the whole aura of rent control operations, not only here but all over Canada, has been one of prejudice against the property holder.

The net result is first, there is about a general twenty-five percent reduction in local rentals.

Second, there is a general breaking down of amicable relations between landlord and tenant.

Third, where the case involves the sharing of private homes, there will be a gradual Committee, now kick our own cousing out from the bemuddled brithches that we were dupes rental business and as soon as it enough to fall for that patriotic is legally and technically possible prattle "to share our homes with suite after suite will be withdrawn the strangers within our midst".

We resent the bemuddled feeling that we are branded as ghouls have been publicly humiliated by taking unfair advantage of the decisions of the Rent Control fatumate Service men. We resent

into the thing against our better judgment in the first instance, with the hope that we could bring happiness to some young couples with the cloud of war and separation hanging over their heads. Our tenants have told us that we were generally successful to this end.

Now, with the technical interference of the Rent Control Committee, we are forced to withdraw from the field as soon as it is legally possible. We can't afford another humiliating experience like this. Our premises will again be available when there is a general order demanding that every home in Clareholm with an extra room to spare open its doors to those seeking shelter and the rates established are equitably set in relation to service rendered.

Exercise for Health

"Balance exercise with rest for good health," says Dr. Stanley Ryerson in the current issue of Health, published by the Health League of Canada. His article entitled "Exercise for Health" declares that physical activity in the form of games and sports, gymnastics, swimming, dancing and in a milder form in walking and hiking, is a most valuable way of enabling a person to keep healthy or to regain his health.

Dr. Ryerson goes on to say that at rest, with a heart rate of 70 a minute, the total blood in the body flows through the heart arteries, capillaries, veins and back to the heart, in about 100 seconds. During vigorous exercise, the blood completes this cycle in about 20 seconds, with the result that the cells of all the organs and tissues of the body have blood brought to them in their capillaries five times as often during exercise as during rest. In consequence of which, the quality of the cell's structure is made better and the efficiency of their function is improved.

"The practice of some people," he says, "of never walking upstairs or hurrying or participating in any form of physical exercise with the object of conserving the heart, is not a justifiable one, for the lack of any increase in the blood flow to its muscular wall is more apt to lead to its weakness and possible disaster than the habit of making these efforts periodically as a means of maintaining the quality of the heart muscle in good condition."

He points out that the increase in the demand of the active muscles for more oxygen in the blood coming to them makes a person breathe more rapidly and more deeply, thereby taking more air into the lungs and using more lung tissue and at the same time causing a greater flow through the capillaries in their walls. This increased expansion of lung tissue and increased functional activity of its substance brings about an improvement in the quality of the lung structure.

Combined with adequate rest, physical exercise, emphasizes Dr. Ryerson, benefits every part of the human body. It also stimulates the brain, keeping the body and mind as a total unity. Its purpose is physical at first, but subsequently (by harnessing, controlling and cultivating the body) it can awaken and discipline the human mind and spirit.

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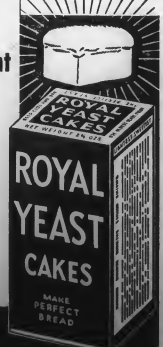
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Local News

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. F. Donaldson on Wednesday, Dec. 23, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Smith and daughter spent the holidays at Macleod.

Mr. and Mrs. John Salvador, of Creston, visited here during the holidays.

Miss Isobel Ewing spent part of her holidays visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frederickson, of Fernie.

Mr. Walker Percy, of Revelstoke, was the Christmas guest of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Krzyzew.

Hugh Dunlop, rural school teacher, was the holiday guest of his mother, Mrs. H. Dunlop, sr.

Miss Edith Ash, of Calgary, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ash.

Miss Margaret Allan, of Edmonton, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Allan.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Dickleson and daughter spent the Christmas holidays with the former's parents at Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilkie and family spent both Christmas and New Year's holidays with friends at Calgary.

Miss Edna Fairhurst, of Calgary, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Fairhurst.

Miss Christie Ramage, of Lethbridge, spent the Christmas holidays the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Balloch.

Miss Dora Bowen, R.N., of Pearce, spent Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bowen.

Miss Pat Hoyle spent the holidays with her parents.

Raymond Montabetti left at the week-end for Alberta University.

Miss Jean Sullivan recently visited friends at Pincher Creek.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. V. Siska, on Monday, Dec. 21, a son.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bond on Christmas Day, Dec. 25, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Campbell, of Erickson, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Vincent.

LAC McLafferty, of Calgary, recently visited relatives in Coleman and Bellevue.

Miss Ethel Wilson, of Calgary, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson.

LAC and Mrs. Vernon Brown, of Lethbridge, visited relatives here during the New Year's holidays.

Mrs. Benny Redisky and children, of Kimberley, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeCecco.

Miss Mary DeCecco left last week for San Francisco where she will visit her sister for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abousafy and family motored to Wetaskiwin while they spent Christmas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Korman and children left at the week-end for Vancouver where they will take up residence.

Miss M. Bowling has returned to her home in Calgary after spending a holiday the guest of Miss Margaret Smith.

Arthur Westwood, of Calgary Technical school, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Westwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robinson, of Calgary, spent the Christmas holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Beveridge.

Winners at a recent Rebekah wheel drive were Mrs. L. Caroe and Mrs. J. Seaman, of Edmonton. Mr. W. Short won the pool prize.

Petty Officer and Mrs. Jimmy Jenson and daughter, of Calgary, spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Jenson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hadley.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Smith spent Christmas at Kimberley where they were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. L. Sanderson, and Mr. Sanderson.

Wm. Llewellyn, R.C.A.F., of Calgary, visited his father L. G. Llewellyn. While in Coleman he was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Johnston.

Varsity students who have returned to Edmonton following the holidays are O. Jones, I. Smith, W. Hoyle, Florence McDonald and Elsie D'Appolonia.

Mr. and Mrs. George Evans and son spent the holidays at Fernie where they were the guests of Mr. Evan's sister, Mrs. R. McEwen, and husband.

V. Collagrosso left at the week-end for Vancouver after having spent the holidays with his family here. Mrs. Collagrosso and Ronald will leave in the near future to join him and take up residence in the city.

Normal students returning to Calgary at the week-end were Titina Rizzo, Peter Bakaj and Joe Simla. Miss Mary Toppino was unable to attend the opening classes due to sickness. She expected to leave during the week the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rippon motored to Lethbridge during the holidays where they visited their daughter Mrs. V. Brown, and husband. They were accompanied on the trip by Mr. and Mrs. A. Devar who visited their daughter, Mrs. R. Donaldson, and husband.

During the holiday season Mrs. H. T. Halliwell entertained at her home in Coleman the members of the bridge club of which she was a member before moving to Macleod. A very pleasing little incident was the presentation by the ladies to Mrs. Halliwell of a pretty plaque.

Among the soldiers, sailors and airmen visiting their homes at the holidays were P. Smith, W. Percy, M. Kovach, H. Thomas, R. Ghazal, Elmo Fontana, W. Hahback, W. Martland, T. Rose, H. Turner, J. Goulding, W. Nimean, J. Kulig, N. Fleming, T. Brennan, J. Goldring, J. B. Atkinson, M. Cernetti, J. Bock and S. Semenzin.

Miss Gladys Lee was a guest of Miss Audrey Halliwell at Macleod at New Year's, when the latter entertained a number of young friends in honor of her birthday on New Year's Day. Miss Dora Bowen, R.N., of Pearce air station hospital staff, was also a guest, as well as Alan Gloze and Johnnie Fox, of the R.A.A.F.

Oliver Salvador, R.C.A.F., and Mrs. Salvador, of Calgary, spent the Christmas holidays the guests of Mrs. Salvador's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kinnear sr.

Pat Fraser celebrated her tenth birthday with a dinner party to which all her young friends were invited. Following dinner she and her guests had an enjoyable time at a skating party.

CARD OF THANKS

The Hospital Board and hospital staff thank Coleman Cash Grocery for candy and cigarettes and Coleman Meat Market for a turkey and cigarettes received at the hospital at Christmas. The gifts were sincerely appreciated.

WEDDINGS

TAYLOR — MILLEY

A wedding of much local interest was solemnized at the United church manse on New Year's morning at 11 o'clock when Kathleen, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Milley, was united in marriage with Douglas William Kenneth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, of Calgary. Mrs. Viola Tieson, (nee Viola Milley) was bridesmaid to her sister, and Mr. Harry Tieson supported the groom.

After a wedding at the bride's parents with members of the family and friends the happy couple

left on the afternoon train on a short honeymoon, and will reside in Calgary where the groom is employed as a machinist. The felicitations of their many friends accompany them.

The Churches

St. Paul's United Church, Coleman Sunday, January 10.
Minister: J. E. Kirk.
11 a.m., Morning worship. Subject: "Purpose of National Week of Prayer."
12:15 p.m., Sunday school.
2 p.m., Meeting of official church board.

7 p.m., Lantern Lecture—"The Living Church in Africa."

THE SALVATION ARMY

Lieut. R. D. Marks
Officer in Charge
Sunday services:
10:30 a.m., Y.P. directory class.
11 a.m., Holiness meeting.
3 p.m., Sunday school.
7:30 p.m., Salvation meeting.
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., Red Shield auxiliary and ladies' home league.
Thursday, 8 p.m., praise and prayer meeting. We are welcome to attend one and all of these.

Mark Twain once said, "Let us be thankful for the fools. But for them the rest of us could not succeed."

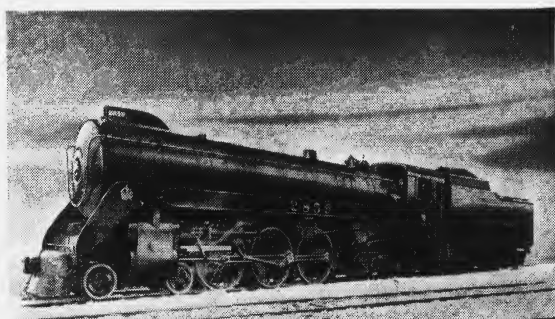
Looking Backwards

A sidelight on things as they were during construction days on the Crows Nest Pass railroad is contained in an item dug up by the Revelstoke Review and published in its Forty-five Years Ago column:

The condition of the working man on the Crows Nest Pass Railway cannot be very happy, if things are as the "Prospector" of Fort Steele, says they are. It gives a story of three young men brought out from Ontario who claim their arrangement with the company were: Fare to be paid, \$1.50 a week, and board at \$3.50 per week. They worked 62 days, and this is the company's account with them: For nine weeks' work, 62 days at \$1.50, \$78.00; less railway fare to Macleod, \$21.50; fare Macleod to Pass, \$7.00; board, 9 weeks at \$3.50, \$31.50; forwarding mail matter, 50¢ per month; doctor, 50¢ a month; lodging in company's cabins, \$1.00; total deductions, \$78.00; balance due, \$6.00. A few weeks ago a young fellow from Revelstoke worked there 12 days and owed the company 15 cents at the end of that time.

Punch: Hitler boasts that he has not claimed 3 days off duty since 1933. But few of us are so sure of retiring so early.

HIGH WAR MILEAGE FOR C.P.R. LOCOMOTIVE



A record of 19,053 miles in one month is included in this Canadian Pacific Railway locomotive's wartime showing, in keeping with the Company's policy of getting maximum service from all equipment in order to fulfill its vital role in the fight for democracy's survival. In two other months, Locomotive 2559, one of the Royal Hudson class, was close

to its peak mark in mileage with totals of 18,265 miles and 18,452 miles while its six-months average was 17,191 miles. Other Royal Hudsons clicking off extra miles at present include Locomotive 2585, which operated 17,547 miles in one month, and Locomotives 2588, 2539, 2840 and 2841—all on the Toronto to Fort William run—which averaged 16,000 miles monthly over a half-year period.

The crown proudly carried on this locomotive's running board is a mark of honor for all of the "2500" class, for it was Locomotive 2550, sister engine of the ones now setting high mileage marks, which took Their Majesties across Canada in the Royal Visit of 1939. Authority for the use of the crown marking was given after that memorable journey.

—Canadian Pacific Photo.

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Friday, Jan. 8th - 1.30 p.m. to 2.00 p.m.

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Friday, Jan. 8th - 2.15 p.m. to 2.45 p.m.

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The bride changes her name... often both the bride and the groom change their address.

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CANADA

HUMPHREY MITCHELL, Minister of Labour, Ottawa

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

More than 11,000 of the U.S. 400,000 Indians entered the fighting forces, the interior department's Indian service reported.

American motorists have turned in about 10,000,000 tires under the government's idle-tire purchase plan, the office of price administration announced.

Dr. J. W. Browning, 99, Canada's oldest practising physician and one of the world's first telegraphers, died at his home in Exeter, Ont., following a heart attack.

Lt.-Col. Lord Apsley, 47, Conservative M.P. for Bristol Central since 1931 and son and heir of the Earl of Bathurst, was reported killed in an air crash in the Middle East.

The Polish navy which has been co-operating with the Royal Navy since war started, has been increased by a new submarine named the "Dzik," meaning "Boar."

Six spies charged with serving the Axis were shot by firing squads at Constantine, Algeria, in a continuation of the drive to rid French Africa of espionage activities, it was disclosed.

Winnipeg air force authorities announced that 1,300 used R.C.A.F. greatcoats, found to be surplus in the stores of No. 7 equipment depot, have been donated to the Aid to Russia fund. All service badges, buttons and marks of insignia have been removed from the coats.

Words As Weapons

Churchill Uses Speeches As General Uses Tanks And Planes

Hitler was perhaps the first man in the history of modern warfare to realize the use of words as weapons. Hitler remains the No. 1 rabble rouser of the world, writes Quentin Reynolds. No one can touch him. When you hear him speak before a large crowd you are frightened. Mr. Reynolds remembers, back in 1933, hearing him talk to 500,000 men in a valley near Hamelin. His terrific sincerity, his shouted denunciations of the Versailles treaty makers; his absolute fanatical devotion to the new Germany, all got across beautifully. Half that audience was in tears before he had finished. It was very frightening because you knew that Hitler owned those 500,000. He could make them follow anywhere.

To a great extent Winston Churchill has the same knack. Like Hitler, he is a great showman. Unlike those of Hitler, his speeches read well because Churchill is a master of rhetoric, while Hitler is not. But Churchill from the beginning has used his speeches as a general uses tanks and planes. He does not speak very often (for a prime minister). He does not waste his ammunition of his words on small targets. He waits until his people need the stimulating effect of his words and then he lets go.

The nightly bombing of London had all of us who were at the scene a little punch-drunk. The cumulative effect of many nights of horror and loss of sleep had us all down. In the morning people would be leaden-eyed, dull, lethargic. More than once just when you thought the breaking point had been reached Winston would speak. No one talked of much else for days. People unconsciously identified themselves with Churchill and his courage became their courage and his supreme faith theirs. His words gave London a protective weapon against which the bombs were futile.

In Service Again

Colin Hodgkinson Is The Second Legless Pilot In The R.A.F.

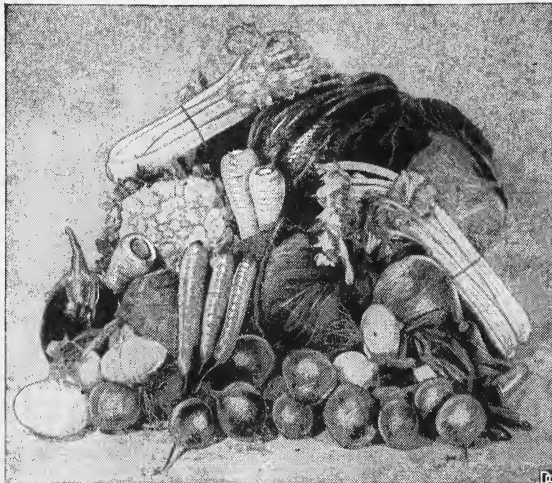
Legless at 22, P.O. Colin G. S. Hodgkinson has been assigned to a front line fighter squadron by the air ministry.

He lost his legs three years ago in a crash. His determination to fly again finally won out and he was fitted with special steel legs and returned to the fleet air arm. The admiral finally granted his request for transfer to the R.A.F.

Hodgkinson is the first legless pilot in the R.A.F. since Douglas Bader, leader of the first "all-Canadian" squadron, was captured by the Germans, who shot his plane down.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

VARIETY, VALUE AND VITAMINS



Canadian vegetables provide variety, minerals and vitamins in winter meals. Canada's Official Food Rules say that two servings of vegetables, besides potatoes are necessary every day for health, with special emphasis on the green leafy and yellow vegetables that are so rich a source of Vitamin A. Raw cabbage, carrot or turnip should be served several times a week in the form of salads. Imports of vegetables have been very much restricted due to wartime conditions, but home grown vegetables can be relied upon to provide Canadians with their two servings a day throughout the winter months.

Great Help To Soldiers

Many Have Been Saved By Use Of Sulfa Drugs

Doctors working field hospitals somewhere in New Guinea say soldiers no longer hope that if they must stop a bullet they can be killed outright.

This report was brought back by Capt. Philip North, infantry officer attached to this advanced press relations unit.

North explained the doctors find a majority of the wounded are saved easily by the use of sulfa drugs.

Surgeons told North that casualties receiving their first treatment as long as 24 hours after they had been hit still had uninfected, fresh-looking wounds as a result of using sulfanilamide. Soldiers swallow the drug in tablets and carry a supply which they can sprinkle on their wounds.

HARD ON THE GROOM

A wedding among the Amish, the famous sect in Pennsylvania, begins at eight in the morning at the bride's home with 45 minutes of hymn singing, followed by the ceremony, which requires three hours by three preachers. When the party ends at midnight, the guests, instead of throwing rice and old shoes, toss the bridegroom over the fence.

Royal Dresses Exhibited

Three Worn By Queen Alexandra Now In Ontario Museum

Now we know what it means to be "dressed like a queen." Recently three dresses worn by Queen Alexandra were given to the Royal Ontario Museum by Lt.-Col. James W. Flanagan. They are on exhibition in the costume gallery. The first of these dresses was worn at a ball given at Balmoral, when Alexandra first came to England, as the bride of the Prince of Wales, in 1863. It is a gay, young dress of crinoline style, with cream satin skirt trimmed with red-edged ruffles, and bright overskirt of the Dress Stewart plaid. The other two dresses are much more dignified and stately and were worn shortly after Alexandra became queen in 1902. Both have the small waist and long lines fashionable at that period, and are of exquisitely embroidered satin. These dresses make it easy to understand Queen Alexandra's reputation for beauty and queenly grace. An adjacent case contains the magnificent robe of purple velvet trimmed with ermine, which was worn by H.R.H. the Princess Victoria at the Coronation of Edward VII. This robe, which is also the gift of Lt.-Col. Flanagan, will give Canadians a very clear picture of the pomp and magnificence of a Coronation ceremony.

Valuable Documents

Clear Up Mystery Of Early Life Of William Caxton

Lord Kemsley, the publisher, has presented Britain with documents 500 years old, clearing up the mystery surrounding the first years of William Caxton, "father of English printing." The documents are 15 Latin parchments in exquisite Gothic script. They are expected to fill in previously vague records of Caxton's early life and clear up the date of his birth, variously reported between 1412 and 1423. The manuscripts had been in possession of the Turnour-Suffolk family, of which the Caxtons were neighbors.

ONE DAY'S RATION

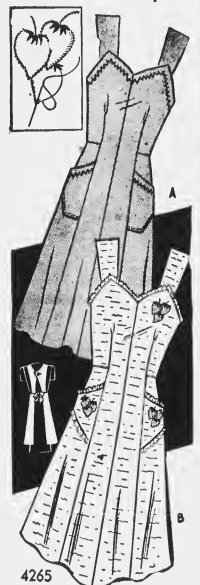
A day's ration for 7,000 men in the Army mess hall on the Canadian National Exhibition grounds in Toronto includes 5,200 lbs. beef, 4,950 lbs. potatoes, 875 lbs. butter, 656 gals. fresh milk, 1,400 eggs, 1,150 pies and 3,500 lbs. vegetables.

Early firearms were named after birds; the word "musketeer" signified a sparrowhawk.

The publication states that a cheerful and relaxed atmosphere is essential to the proper enjoyment of meals. The table should not, it says, become a place for constant correction and admonition of children. Ideally, for adults as well as children, eating should always be a pleasurable experience, good in itself as well as good for our health. Indeed it must appeal to us if it is to do the maximum good.

Louis XIV is said to have originated the minuet of 1653.

Neat Colorful Aprons



By ANNE ADAMS

Stitch up these gay, well-fitting aprons for girls—order the Anne Adams Pattern, 4265. Strawberry appliques add color; ruffling or ric-rac are optional.

Pattern 4265 is available in sizes small (32-34), medium (36-38), large (40-42), extra large (44-46). Small size, view B, takes 2½ yards 35 inch, 1½ yards ruffling; view A, 2½ yards 35 inch; 1½ yards ric-rac.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly: Size, Name, Address and Style Number, and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.

MICKIE SAYS—

WHILE TH' MERCHANT WHO DOESN'T ADVERTISE WAITS FOR CUSTOMERS, TH' REG'LAR ADVERTISER WAITS ON THEM



LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"If you don't want me yelling out the window, Mom, get me a carrier pigeon."

Still Waiting For Throne

Swedish Crown Prince Beats Record Of King Edward VII.

No record appears to be permanent. When Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, succeeded to Victoria's throne, on Jan. 22, 1901, he was just over 59. No other prince in modern history had waited longer for his crown. Now Edward's record has crumbled. On Nov. 11, Sweden's sturdy, professor-like Gustav Adolf reached the age of 60 still a Crown Prince. His 84-year-old father, King Gustav V., still holds the throne he has occupied for the past 35 years. Edward's whole life, however, had been spent as her apparent, for his mother had been queen since he was born.—Sault Daily Star.

GREEKS GET WHEAT

Regular shipments of the monthly 15,000-ton gift of wheat from Canada to the people of Greece are going forward, it was learned from official sources at Ottawa, and the government is satisfied that this food is reaching the Greek people safely.

Steel begins to glow when heated to a temperature of about 1,000 degrees Fahrenheit. 2496

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



REG'LAR FELLERS— The Hero



BY GENE BYRNES

HALFWAY HOUSE

— BY —

MICHAEL TRENT

CHAPTER XII

Anne pulled on her clothes and ran from her room. Into the hall people rushed in near panic. They surged downstairs, gathered in the lobby, and someone opened the wide door to the fire-filled night. Hot, smoke-laced air puffed in. One look showed that a wall of flames cut off escape by the town at the Andover. It showed the fire making an encircling pincer movement about Halfway House. To the west, in the forest, the river toward Snake Creek, a dozen small fires, kindled by the rain of sparks, mushroomed up. Soon it would be one gigantic inferno.

The noise of the fire was a steady roar. The blazing glow was blinding, the smoke choking. Sparks showered down on Halfway House, igniting the roof and the eaves. The flames formed in an attempt to save the hotel.

It wasn't until he received a report from the Ranger air-patrol that Steve Hayes realized the danger to Halfway House. He had not known that the fire had spread so fast. Receiving the radioed report, he believed himself not having taken precautions to assure the safety of the people at the hotel. But he knew the blame was not his entirely. The direction of the wind, high wind that it was, should not have driven the fire east. That was the danger beyond Halfway House proved what he already knew: The fire was incendiary, and it had been touched off by some sort of fire set in a dozen widely separated places.

He had hundreds of men working, fighting the fire over a wide front, and it was a vast efficient machine. But the machine wouldn't win until countless acres of forest had been destroyed; the battle would go on for days. All that he could do was being done. The only complication was Halfway House.

He rode up to the hotel through smoke and fiery wind-carried embers, and he found the people there carrying buckets of water in a futile attempt to save the building's roof which was already afire. He saw the panic and hysteria of the people. He saw Anne among those carrying water. He saw Rhea standing helplessly on the front veranda. It was an ugly, fantastic picture. It filled him with the rage that had smoldered in him since the horror started. He wasn't sure that he would be the man responsible for the horror. He hoped he would meet John Blake—or Erich Kruger, or whatever he called himself—tomorrow.

He dismounted, holding the reins so the excited horse wouldn't bolt, and the people cheered. They asked their frightened question: "Is there any way to escape?" Rhea pushed, almost fought her way through the crowd, and she was beautiful now, with the fear she felt making a strained white mask of her face. She gripped his arm, her hands closing on him like the hands of a drowning person.

"Steve!" She screamed hysterically. "Steve, you've got to save me! You've got to get me away from here!"

A gust of wind showered them all with sparks. Rhea cried out, all but frantically with her hands at the sparks that fell upon the absurd gown she was wearing. He could see that she was more than any of the others near the breaking point. He felt, perhaps pity for all her weaknesses, made him put his arm about her.

Anne dropped the bucket she had carried from pump to hotel so many times. Steve had come, and his presence steadied the panicky feeling in her. She knew how he could help, but she knew that his presence made things better. She watched the others gather about him, heard their frightened questions. She saw Rhea go to him, and she saw Steve put his arm about the girl—his wife. She looked away. The roof of Halfway House was now a mass of flames. Halfway House was doomed.

Steve said, "This is no good, staying here. The hotel can't be saved." His voice was calm but authoritative. "Your situation here is serious, and everyone may as well know it. We're hemmed in. The fire is on three sides of us—and coming closer. We're lucky to be backed against the lake. There is comparative safety by the water. We'll go there at once."

It was a silent group of men and women that walked the half-mile to the water. There was a sort of clearing by the lake; Steve had the men bring axes and shovels from the burning hotel and widen the space. They felled trees, uprooted brush, began digging a trench around the clearing. They formed another bucket brigade and moistened the undergrowth too short to remove. They worked against the blazing backdrop, under a choking ceiling of smoke. They were soiled and tired and frightened. It was Steve and Burke who brought the dozen frightened horses from the hotel stable, hitching them in shallow water on ropes secured to stakes driven into the muddy bottom. By then dawn was breaking.

Steve Hayes flung down the shovel he worked with. "There's an abandoned canoe along the shore about a mile," he said. "I don't know if it will float, but I'm going to try. May be one of us can cross the lake. There's a motor boat at Billings' Landing. We've got to try to get it."

Some came with me. He took his head as Drew Lowry stepped forward. "Not you, sir. I don't think you're up to it."

Anne could see the troubled look in her father's eyes. He said almost stubbornly, "It's my job. I'm to blame for this, in a way. I permitted Erich Kruger to get away." He looked unhappily at Anne. "Yes, Anne," he told her. "Steve says the fire was incendiary, that Erich set it to cover his escape. Therefore I'm to blame."

Anne couldn't stand to see his grieving eyes. She looked at Steve and saw the rage that threatened the name Erich Kruger etched upon his face. It was a black and vengeful rage. Steve looked at her father with those angry eyes, looked him up and down.

"All right," he said, and turned away. The two men moved away, disappearing into the trees. Talking shore. The pines there were beginning to kindle. They looked like Christmas trees lighted by candles.

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The two came through a cloud of smoke carrying the canoe. They took it to the water's edge, and launched it. It was old and leaky; water seeped into it on one.

Steve looked at the circle of smoke-begrimed faces. "I'll need someone along to bail," he said. "Someone bring an empty can and a wooden bucket." He paused, then added: "Someone who can really swim."

Anne felt her heart pounding. She saw the danger. It was one chance in a million that the canoe would last the wind-swept miles across the lake. And Steve wasn't talking of that. His eyes rested on her questioningly. He knew she could swim well. She nodded, but then Rhea Marshall stumbled to him. Rhea caught him by the arm.

"Steve, take me! I'm scared here. Don't leave me here like this!"

"You wouldn't be able to swim, Rhea," he said. "I'm afraid." He pushed her away, turning to Anne. "You'd better come," he told her.

Anne held back, wondering if she had the right to go. "Steve, she's your wife," she almost said that aloud. Then as she stood in her indecision, Rhea turned to her, and she was drawn into his arms. Just as he kissed her she had a glimpse of Halfway House. It was a burning shell. She didn't care. Life was starting over. Her father's face smiled at her, showing he didn't care.

She closed her eyes against a lot of ugly things as Steve's arms tightened securely.

(The End)

IF THROAT IS SORE

IF A COLD has given you a miserable sore throat, here's how to relieve the suffering.

DO THIS NOW—Melt a small lump of VapoRub on your tongue and feel the comforting medication slowly trickle down your throat—soothing the irritated membranes—bringing blessed relief where you want it, when you want it.

DO THIS TONIGHT—Rub throat, chest with VapoRub. Its long continued poultice-and-vapor action loosens phlegm, relieves irritation, eases coughing, invites restful sleep.



him. His name is Jud—a degenerate sort, I think."

He looked at Anne, softly said, "I came when I guessed Halfway House was in the path of the fire. I hope I came soon enough."

"Soon enough," Erich said. "I'm glad you came. Glad!"

Steve Hayes made sure that Jud was actually in the boat. Then he indicated that the boat should be boarded. He put Rhea Marshall in first. He spoke no word to her, nor she to him. There wasn't room enough for all. Three had to stay behind.

Anne and Steve and Drew Lowry remained on the shore.

Erich Kruger said, "You trust me not to escape again, Hayes?"

And Steve merely said, "Keep your eye on Jud for me, friend."

The motor roared. The boat moved away, Erich at the helm. It was crowded to the gunwales. Anne watched it speed across the lake, toward the fire-free side. She felt sad about Erich, but proud too.

Steve put his arm about her. "He's an all right guy," he said. "You like him, Anne. I hope you like me as much—at least enough to forgive me for hounding him. And for a lot of other things."

"I love you, Steve," she whispered. And she was drawn into his arms. Just as he kissed her she had a glimpse of Halfway House. It was a burning shell. She didn't care. Life was starting over. Her father's face smiled at her, showing he didn't care.

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Give me an example of foreign entanglements," said the teacher.

"A plate of spaghetti," replied Tommy.

"George said that if I refused him he would never propose to another girl."

"That's right. I believe you were last on his list."

"So your engagement to that banker's daughter is off. I thought you said she dated on you."

"So she did; but her father proved to be an antidote."

Daughter (sighing)—I still think the world's wonderful. Everything is so beautiful and there is so much to be thankful for.

Dad—Who is it this time?

"Water, there's no washbone in this chicken."

"It didn't need one, sir. That chicken lived such a contented life that it had nothing to wish for."

"I ordered a dozen oranges, but you only sent me ten."

"Part of our service, madam. Two were bad, so we saved you the trouble of throwing them away."

Minister—Where is your husband today, Mrs. Smith? I didn't see him at church.

Mrs. Smith—It grieves me to tell you, sir, that poor Charlie has joined the Great Majority.

Minister—You mean he's dead?

Mrs. Smith—Gracious, no! He's gone to the football game!

—Plates courtesy Monetary Times, Toronto.

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

Cattalo is a new animal developed by the Canadian Government through scientific cross-breeding of buffalo and cattle. An Associated Screen "Did You Know That" movie short tells that despite their domestic ancestry, they are too wild to milk, and that it has been found Cattalo cannot reproduce their own species.

If Goal Is Achieved

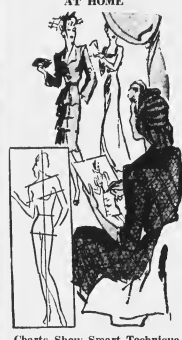
Young Pigs Must Be Saved To Meet Bacon Objective

Lowering the mortality rate in young pigs is the greatest single step toward meeting the bacon production objective of 675,000,000 pounds set in the new British agreement. In fact, this may be the only assured means of achieving the goal.

Too many young pigs are lost each year—almost invariably through ignorance rather than carelessness. Lack of iron, resulting in anemia, worms and disease germs are common causes of serious losses in young pigs. Winnipeg Tribune.

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When sketching a figure, first draw these guide lines: a vertical "line of balance," around which to build the figure, and two pairs of parallel lines—one pair to place shoulders and bust, one for waist and hips.

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Selected Recipes

GINGERBREAD

1 1/2 cups water

1 cup brown sugar

1 cup Crown Brand Corn Syrup

1 cup boiling water

2 1/2 cups pastry flour

1 teaspoon baking powder

1 teaspoon baking soda

1 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon cinnamon

1 teaspoon nutmeg

1 teaspoon ginger

2 eggs

Temperature: 350 degrees F.

Time: 30 minutes.

Method: Cream shortening; gradually add brown sugar and corn syrup. Add hot water; let stand till lukewarm. Add sifted dry ingredients in three additions, beating well after each addition. Add well-beaten eggs; beat with Dover beater. (This batter is quite thin). Pour into pan 8" x 12" lined with waxed paper and oiled with mazonia. Bake in moderate oven. When cool, dust top with powdered sugar.

FLUFFY MINCE PIE

4 cups corn flakes OR

3 cups oven-popped cereal

1 1/2 cups melted butter

1/4 cup sugar

1 tablespoon unflavored gelatin

1 1/2 cups water

9 ounce package mince meat

2 eggs, separated

3 tablespoons melted butter

1 cup lemon juice

1/2 cup sugar

Roll cereal into fine crumbs; combine with butter and sugar, mixing well. Press mixture evenly and firmly around sides and bottom of pie pan. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for about eight minutes; cool before adding filling or pie shell may be thoroughly chilled without baking.

Soften gelatin in 1/4 cup of the water. Add remaining 1 1/2 cups water to mince meat and cook until mixture thickens slightly. Beat egg yolks, add butter, lemon juice and sugar. Add to mince meat. Continue cooking until mixture thickens. Add gelatin and stir until dissolved.

Cool. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into crumb pie shell and chill about 1 hour or until firm enough to cut. Yield one 9-inch pie.

Only two pounds of radium are in existence, and their value is about \$18,000,000.

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A GRACIOUS ACT

Henri Morin de Lincay, resident director and general manager of the French Line for the United States and Canada, announced in New York that the United States Navy "spontaneously and most graciously" had presented to him the French national flag of the ill-fated Normandie, former flagship of the line.

The Normandie was a French ocean liner that was sunk by a German U-boat in 1942. The flag was recovered and presented to the French Line as a symbol of their loss.

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Everyday Prices on Popular Remedies

ENO'S FRUIT SALTS	59c and 98c
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"WEST OF CIMMERON"

Cole's Theatre, Bellevue

Saturday and Monday, January 9 and 11

GENE TIERNEY, in

"BELLE STAR"

also NEWS and NOVELTY

Local News

Miss A. Yuill spent the holidays visiting friends at Calgary.

Miss Edith Ash, of Calgary, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ash during the holidays.

Members of the armed forces home for the holidays included Wm. Shicht, John James, J. Korman, H. Eysackers, H. Hirsch.

Miss Frances Janokak has returned to Gadsbut's Business College, Leithbridge, after spending the holidays here with her parents.

The Misses Mac Ramsey and Agnes Jenkins, R.C.A.P., and Irene Brennan, of the C.W.A.C., spent the holidays at their homes here.

The Journal acknowledges with thanks a new subscription received on Wednesday morning from Mrs. Geo. Booth Jr. of East Coulee.

Mrs. Harry Geo. and daughter, of Calgary, were the guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. R. Jackson, and husband during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thuvesson and daughter and Miss Betty Thuvesson, of Glen Valley, B.C. were the guests of Mrs. Thuvesson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Sheratt.

FOR SALE—8 roomed house, hardwood floors, furnace. Located on Willow Drive. Terms to right party. Apply Herb. Snowdon.

Pte. Eddie Churla is spending a furlough with his family.

Pte. Tony Ledieu is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ledieu.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kinnear sr. and Mr. A. Anderson and son Bill have moved into their new home formerly owned by Dr. C. Rose on Third street.

Arthur White, R.C.M.P., arrived home on Wednesday morning and will spend a holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White.

Cpl. Jim Wilson arrived in town on Tuesday and will spend a furlough with relatives.

Air Cadets Of Canada Summit Squadron

No. 73, Summit Squadron

Weekly Routine Orders

No. 1 Flight. Signals
Issued by H. Houghton, A/C F/L Officer Commanding, Summit Squadron.

Part One

Administration—
1. Orderly Officer for week— P. A. Dickieson, A/C F/O
2. Orderly N.C.O.—Cpl. MacDonald.

3. Parades—
Tuesday, Jan. 5, 1943 at High School.
1900 - 1930 hrs. — Anti-Gas
1930 - 2015 hrs. — Signals

A/C Recognition
2015 - 2115 hrs. — Navigation
Knots and Splices.
Wednesday, Jan. 6, 1943 at United Church Hall.

1630 - 1730 hrs. — Rifle Drill.
4. Cadets wishing to play a trumpet in the Squadron Band are asked to give their names and musical experience to the commanding officer.

Part Two

Personnel—
1. Officers—The following appointments have been approved by Air Cadet Headquarters:

To be Air Cadet Pilot Officer (Probationary) — Mr. Horace Allen, Mr. Geo. Charlesworth, Mr. W. S. Purvis, Mr. W. Keywan.

2. Non-Commissioned Officers: The following promotions are announced:

Acting Sergeant W. Milley to Acting Flight Sergeant.
Acting Corporal B. MacDonald to Acting Sergeant.

Acting Corporal S. Kirk to Acting Sergeant.
AC2 W. Chan to Acting Corporal (No. 2 Flight)

AC2 R. Sarchese to Acting Corporal (No. 2 Flight).

AC2 J. Badzioch to Acting Corporal (No. 1 Flight).

AC2 J. McIntyre to Acting Corporal (No. 1 Flight).

AC2 A. Read to Acting Corporal (No. 1 Flight)

Signed: P. A. Dickieson, A/C F/O
Fo O.C. Summit Squadron

On the Search

Officer: "What's the big idea? What are you men doing climbing trees and crawling through the bushes?"

Private: "Well, sir, we camouflaged the gun before lunch and now we can't find it."—The Bee-Hive.

People shop where they are invited—that's why it pays to advertise.

Cole's Theatres to Help Aid to Russia Fund

Wm. Cole, proprietor of the Pass theatres, has made arrangements to run the Russian war movie, "Russia Strikes Back" at all his theatres within the next two weeks. Net proceeds from admissions to this movie will be donated by him to the Aid To Russia Fund.

New Year's Gathering At The Home of Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie

As has been their custom for many years Mr. and Mrs. Dave Gillespie entertained their family of children, grand-children and great grand-children at their home on New Year's Day. And for the second year in succession a grandchild and a great-grandchild received the Sacrament of Baptism, namely, Joan Agnes, the infant daughter of Sergeant John and Mrs. Bayon of Calgary and the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Sanderson of Kimberley, Cherrill Sandra. The sponsors for Joan Agnes were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Westworth, and the sponsors for Cherrill Sandra were Mrs. Dave Neway and Mr. Jack Smith, the baby's grandfather.

After the Baptismal service the family sat down to a delicious New Year's dinner followed by a delightful evening's entertainment. Mrs. John Bayon and Mrs. L. G. Sanderson are spending short holidays with their parents while their husbands returned to their duties.

BUSINESSMEN DOMINATE IN TURKEY RAFFLE

Businessmen won three of the four turkeys raffled by the Lions club, proceeds of which were donated to the Aid to Russia Fund. The first name drawn was that of Bob. Pattinson, the second was Frank Aboussef and the third was Angelo Toppino. The fourth held the names of Doreen and Georgie Jenkins and received much applause. The turkeys were delivered to the prize winners the following day.

The draw was held in the Palace theatre through the courtesy of Mr. Wm. Cole. S. Murdoch and A. Balloch supervised the draw. Miss Jacqueline Dunne drew the lucky tickets.

The raffle will net the Aid to Russia Fund a little more than \$100. Advertising acts as a tonic to any head of business enterprise—large or small.

In Memoriam

FRASER: In Loving Memory of our dear husband and father, James Fraser, who died January 6, 1941.

When the shadows of night are falling
And we are sitting alone
There always comes a longing dear
If you could only come home.
—Ever remembered by his wife and children.

IN MEMORIAM
FRASER—In Loving Memory of our dear son Jim, who died January 6, 1941.

Nothing but memories as we journey on
Longing for a smile from a loved one gone
None knows the depth of our deep regret
But we remember when others forget.

This month brings back sad memories
Of our son gone to rest
And those who think of him to-day

Are those who loved him best.
—Remembered by his Dad and Maw, sisters and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Fraser and family.

FRASER: In Loving Memory of our dear Brother Jim who passed away January 6, 1941.

God saw that he was weary
And the road was hard to climb
So he closed his tired eyes
And whispered "Peace be thine."
—Ever remembered by his sister and brother, Pat and Frank.

IN MEMORIAM

HAYSOM—In Loving Memory of our dear wife and mother, Ann, who passed away Jan. 6, 1940. Many a day her name is spoken, And many an hour she is in our thoughts.

A link in our family chain is broken,
She has gone from our home but not from our hearts.

—Ever remembered by her husband, daughters and sons.

STRONG STRING AND ROPE REQUIRED AT MAGAZINE DEPOT

An appeal is made to business men to save all the strong string and rope which may come to their stores and send it to the local magazine depot at Antobus' store. The rope is urgently needed to make secure the boxes in the ever increasing number of shipments of magazines to the Halifax depot.

Persons who purchase magazines and who have no further use for them after they have been read are asked to take them to the magazine depot, where they will be thankfully received and sent on their way to the Halifax depot to be distributed to the various branches of the armed forces.

MRS. CLAXTON HONORED

On Tuesday evening, Dec. 22, Mrs. J. J. McIntyre and Mrs. W. S. Purvis were joint hostesses at the home of the former at a gathering of the members of the Ladies bridge club to honor Mrs. H. Claxton who is soon to leave Coleman. A delightful social evening was enjoyed during which the guest-of-honor was presented with a manicule set in a solid leather case by Mrs. Purvis on behalf of the members. Lunch was then served, the evening closing with the members singing "She's A Jolly Good Fellow."

Baptisms

On the first Sunday in the New Year the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clarke was baptized in St. Alban's Anglican church, the Rev. J. R. Hague officiating. She was given the names Sheila May, with Sarah and Jack Oakes acting as godparents.

ST. ALBAN'S CHURCH

Rev. J. R. Hague, A.Th., Incumbent.
2 p.m. — Sunday school.
7 p.m., Evensong and sermon.

Cigarette Fund Notes

Dear Friends: I received your cigarettes yesterday and was very glad to get them. Good smokes are very rare over here so you can see how much they are appreciated. At present Johnny Kanik and George Booth are here with me. They are the only Coleman boys in this camp.—L.J. J. Lloyd.

Hello Folks: Received another bunch of cigarettes. Thanks to all who make these shipments possible. All the boys here from the Pass are fine. Fred, Bill, Jesse, Tommy and Jasper.

Thanks for the welcome cigs, and wishing all members of the Legion and to the good ladies of Coleman who have sent us such nice parcels a happy Christmas and all the best for the coming year.—J. Hogan.

Greetings: Again many thanks for the cigs. Had a drink with Jack Bell and Jimmy Anderson last night. Both in good shape. Regards.—Bob Borden.

Brief notes of thanks were also received from Geo. Derbyshire and D. Myssnyuk.

The Legion has received a Christmas card from Glen Parry.

CHRISTMAS PARCEL ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Dear Sir: I wish to thank the Women's Auxiliary, B.E.S.L. and the Legion for the very fine gift which they recently sent me. Who ever picked the articles enclosed certainly showed good taste as they are the things every stoker must have.—Bill Balloch.

Dear Sirs: Received your parcel of shirt and socks which is greatly appreciated. Thanks a lot, —W. Archer.

SOLDIERS' LETTERS

Dear Sir: I would like you to put this note of thanks in The Journal—I thank the Ladies Auxiliary, B.E.S.L., of Coleman, for the swell Christmas parcel.—Pte. Jules Ancelet.

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